

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/932,050

Applicant: ATSUMI, Yoshinori et al.

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Cell

Examiner: Tracy Mae Dove

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 16, 2006, Applicants request the Examiner consider the following amendments and remarks.